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Preliminary Amendment

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 20, as follows:

Related art pertinent to heat generating sheets utilizing heat generation accompanying oxidation of an oxidizable metal powder with oxygen in air includes the heat generating sheet disclosed in Japanese Patent No. 2572612 2572621. The sheet is produced by a papermaking technique using a composition of iron powder, activated carbon, an electrolyte, water, and a fibrous substance.